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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

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Fellow Members — you may recall that in one or two of my previous messages I mentioned that we did not have an invitation from a host city for our 1989 TNA convention. That is now past tense, for I am pleased to announce that El Paso has graciously extended to us an invitation to hold our 1989 convention in that delightful city in far west Texas. The convention will be held in April with the brand new Westin Hotel as our headquarters. Personally, I am looking forward to a return trip to El Paso. I have attended a lot of TNA conventions over the years and the one in 1985 stands out, I think, as one of the best. Walt Woelper, our district governor, and the International Coin Club of El Paso promise an outstanding convention. Thank you, El Paso. We appreciate you.

Are you doing your part to increase membership in TNA? We can all sell a membership or two. Usually, you simply have to invite a non-member to join this great collecting fraternity, and, bingo, we have a new member. Keep an application or two handy. If you need

some, please contact your secretary. She'll get them right out to you.

In this issue you will find biographical sketches of each one nominated for an elective office in TNA. I think you should know something about each nominee and hope you will take time to review the sketches. I truly hope that one of these days we will reach the point where we have more than one candidate for a given office. It seems so cut-and-dried when there is only a single candidate for any elective office. In any case, ballots will be included with your March 1987 issue. **PLEASE VOTE.** See you next month.

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San Antonio!

★ ★ ★ TNA NOMINEES ANNOUNCED ★ ★ ★

The listed nominees for officers and district governors to serve the Texas Numismatic Association for 1987-1989, a two-year term, have been duly nominated and candidates have given notice in writing of acceptance. If both nomination and acceptance had not been received by January 5, 1987, the candidate is not listed. **NOTE:** The TNA election ballot will be included in the March issue of **TNA NEWS**. Ballots must be received by the TNA secretary no later than March 20, 1987.

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PRESIDENT - Stanford M. (Mac) Kennady is completing a two-year term as TNA president. Mac, TNA Life Member #52, served the TNA as treasurer for 20 years before being elected president in 1985. He has collected coins since 1958 with a particular interest in the coinage of early Mexico. He resides in Austin with his wife, Eleanor, who holds the position as TNA secretary. Their daughter, Katherine, is TNA historian. Mac is a member of the Austin Coin Club, both San Antonio clubs and others. He has been an active volunteer for the American Red Cross, Boy Scout leader and past president of the Texas Public Employers Assn. Chapter #28. He is a past recipient of the TNA Lewis Reagan Memorial award.

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FIRST VICE PRESIDENT - Gerald W. Kendall of Houston is com-

pleting a first term as first vice president and has served as district governor and two terms as 2nd vice president. Gerald has been involved in collecting over 40 years, his speciality being ancient coins. He joined TNA in 1960, #438, and has been elected to every office of Greater Houston Coin Club except secretary. Gerald has received the TNA Lewis Reagan award, Tidwell Literary award and the VIP award.

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SECOND VICE PRESIDENT - Michael (Mike) Greenspan has lived in San Antonio since 1976, is a retired Air Force officer now employed by Intelogic Trace, Inc. as director of Corporate Administration. Mike is originally from New York state and holds degrees in Political Science (Ball State University) and Public Administration (Golden Gate University). He has served as editor of The Navigator Magazine, an international professional journal for aircrews and is a member of the Board of Directors of MetroTech Credit Union. Listed in Who's Who in the South & Southwest, Mike is presently serving as bourse chairman for the 1987 TNA convention. Mainly interested in pharmacy and drug store tokens, Mike is an active member of all major numismatic associations.

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SECRETARY - Eleanor Kennady of Austin has served TNA as secre-

tary since 1976 and is a recipient of the Lewis Reagan Memorial award. A graduate of Santa Rosa School of Nursing of San Antonio, Eleanor served in the Army Nurse Corps during World War II. The position of TNA secretary means hard work and long tedious hours serving the membership and Eleanor has faithfully carried out the secretary's duties.

TREASURER - Jerry Williams, currently serving TNA as treasurer, has been in numismatics over 30 years and specializes in U.S. coins. He is an appraiser for three Beaumont banks. Jerry is a Life Member of TNA (#62), ANA and Beaumont Coin Club and regular member of Austin Coin Club, Greater Orange Coin Club, Silsbee Coin Club, of which he is treasurer, and Society of Paper Money Collectors. He served as TNA district governor, District 15, for 14 years, Texas representative for ANA and has been recognized with the Lewis Reagan award, VIP award and Outstanding TNA Governor award. Jerry has exhibited in Texas and Louisiana.

TNA DISTRICT GOVERNORS

DISTRICT I Mario Johnson of Stephenville is the son of Morris L. Johnson, retiring District 1 governor, and has been collecting coins since the age of 13, mostly proof sets, U.S. silver coinage and medals. He is president of Stephenville Coin Club after serving as vice president. Mario

is also a member of the Fort Worth Coin Club. He is interested in working with junior projects.

DISTRICT II - Dr. David L. Norton of Midland has been active in numismatics for over 20 years and is serving as secretary, treasurer of Midland Coin Club and is a past president of Greenbelt Coin Club of Vernon. His collecting specialty is U.S. coins and currency. Dr. Norton has 11 years experience in the Texas Public Schools and 30 years in the Public Junior Colleges of Texas. He served as assistant to the president at Midland College until his retirement in 1983.

Robert Emerson Lee of Fort Stockton is the second nominee for District 2 governor. Lee has been collecting coins since 1955, mainly U.S. issues and Mexican coins. He is a member of Comanche Springs Stamp & Coin Club, ANA and TNA. Lee is a native Texan, having been born in Garden City, and has lived in Stiles, Big Lake, San Angelo, Sweetwater, Midland and now is a resident of Fort Stockton. He is a retired bootmaker and enjoyed a few years as a cowboy.

DISTRICT III - Richard (Dick) Dollen has collected coins since his grade school days and his interest continued through his military service. He is a Korean War veteran. Dick and wife, Patsy, moved to Abilene from Iowa and he has been

working in Pratt's Coin Shop since 1983. He is completing his first two-year term as District 3 governor.

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DISTRICT IV - Dr. Robert E. Greenwood of Austin is currently serving as District 4 governor and active in the Austin Coin Club. His collecting interest is in type set material. Greenwood is a retired math teacher.

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DISTRICT V - Paul Garner of Dallas is completing his first term as District 5 governor. Paul and his wife, Gloria, are wellknown over the state and he is a member of all major numismatic organizations and many Texas coin clubs. Paul initiated the Emily Garner award to be given to the TNA junior member signing up the most new junior members. The award is a \$50 Series Savings Bond.

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DISTRICT VI - Chris Johns of Houston is presently serving as District 6 governor and is president of Pasadena Coin Club. She is also serving on the governing board of Greater Houston Coin Club and is a member of Bellaire Coin Club. Chris is founding member #18 of TNA, has served as youth chairman and past governor.

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DISTRICT VII - Frank Galindo of San Antonio has served as District 7 governor for over eight years. He is a member of TNA, ANA, the Society of Ration Token Collectors

and the Gateway and Alamo Coin Clubs of San Antonio. He is a past president of SRTC and is assistant treasurer at the present time. Frank is recipient of the Roy F. Gates award for outstanding service to SRTC, the TNA Lewis Reagan award, and he and wife, Karla (TNA's ANA representative), were named Numismatic Ambassadors in 1984 by Numismatic News. In September 1986, Frank was appointed as the TNA medals officer.

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DISTRICT VIII - Joe B. Davis of Corpus Christi was one of the organizers of TNA and served as its first president in 1960. He holds membership #1. Joe also assisted in organizing the Corpus Christi Coin Club, Kingsville Coin Club and many more in the state. Currently serving as District 8 governor, Joe and his wife, Ouida, are still actively collecting coins and upgrading their collection. They visit district clubs, present programs and promote the hobby and TNA at every opportunity.

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DISTRICT IX - E. Lamonte Pitzer, resident of Levelland since 1960, is completing his first term as District 9 governor. He is TNA Life Member #99, member of ANA, South Plains Coin Club of Lubbock, Levelland Coin Club and Lamb County Coin Club of Littlefield. Lamonte has been employed for 30 years by BJ-Titan Services

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DISTRICT X - Walt Woelper of El

Paso has served as District 10 governor for several terms and was bourse chairman for the 1985 TNA convention hosted by International Coin Club and held in El Paso.

DISTRICT XI - No Nomination.
No Acceptance.

DISTRICT XII - No Nomination.
No Acceptance.

DISTRICT XIII - Raymond E. Whyborn is retired from the U.S. Air Force and living in Seymour with his wife, Mary Jane. Both are active in numismatics - Ray is serving as Seymour Coin Club president and Mary Jane is secretary. Ray served two terms as District 7 governor when residing in San Antonio and is currently the District 13 governor. He is a contributor to the Standard Catalog of World Coins, the Standard Catalog of World Paper Money (Pick) and is responsible for the Iran, Morocco and Saudi Arabia sections in both catalogs. He is a member of TNA, ANA, NLG, NI, SPMC, CCRT, WPC and others. He is Life Member #1 of the Alamo Coin Club of San Antonio.

DISTRICT XIV - Helen Snider of Pharr is a member of the Hidalgo Coin Club of the Rio Grande Valley and presently serving as secretary.

Her father, the late John L. Chisum, was a former District 14 governor and her mother, Ada Lee Chisum, has served in that capacity for several years. Helen is president of the Magic Valley Gem & Mineral Society and the Rio Grande Cactus & Succulent Club. She is a real estate

broker and prior to that was an administrator at Pan American University in Edinburg.

DISTRICT XV - Dewey Scott of Orange, serving his first term as District 15 governor, started collecting coins in 1955 and specialized in U.S. coins. In 1980, Dewey became a full time coin dealer. He is serving Greater Orange Coin Club as treasurer and is a past president. He holds membership in TNA, LNA and ANS.

DISTRICT XVI - No Nomination.
No Acceptance

DISTRICT XVII - No Nomination.
No Acceptance

MADE YOUR RESERVATION?

If you have not made a hotel reservation as yet for the March 27-29 TNA convention in San Antonio, you are urged to do so as soon as possible. Hotel headquarters is El Tropicano Hotel, 110 Lexington Ave., San Antonio, Tx 78205, phone 512-223-9461. Reservations must be made no later than 30 days in advance. El Tropicano offers single rooms at \$50, double \$65, triple \$75 plus 10% occupancy tax. Be certain you specify TNA convention in placing the reservation.



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LT. DAVIS TO CONDUCT 2-SESSION SEMINAR ON NUMISMATIC CRIMES

Numismatic crimes from petty theft to million dollar burglaries and robberies, some leading to murder, plague the numismatic hobby.

One man, disturbed by tragic events in the numismatic field, with one such violent crime involving a personal friend, has established a Numismatic Crime Information Center with a goal of compiling and disseminating information on numismatic crimes on a nationwide basis and to assist law enforcement agencies in the investigation of such crimes.

Lt. Doug Davis, with the Criminal Investigation Division of the Pan-тего, Texas Police Department is conducting a 2-session seminar for the benefit of coin dealers and collectors at the 29th Texas Numismatic Association convention set for March 27, 28, 29 at the Convention Center in downtown San Antonio. Gateway Coin Club is hosting the event.

The first session will be Friday, March 27, at 7 p.m., immediately

following the bourse area closing, for the benefit of dealers. Topics to be covered are numismatic crimes as a big business, current criminal activity and coin scans, coin show and coin shop safety, the dealer's role in the investigative process and dealers policing dealers a must.

Subjects highlighted in the second session Saturday, March 28, at 2 p.m. relate to collectors and includes some of the above but with the addition of crime prevention as a key to protecting the collector's collection, inventory as a key to recovery, numismatic clubs and organizations as a tool in recovering stolen material, and the collector's role in the investigative process.

Both sessions are open to all TNA members and guests and there is no charge.

Lt. Davis is highly qualified with over 10 years experience as a police officer and six years as a criminal investigator. He has had numerous articles on crime prevention published in leading journals.

GOLD MINING

The world's gold mining industry increased production of gold from 46.2 million troy ounces in 1984 to 48.6 million in 1985 to an estimated 48 million ounces in 1986. This was noted in the annual **World Mine Production of Gold 1985-1989** report recently published by The Gold Institute, an international trade association based in Washing-

ton D.C.

In 1985 the top gold producers were South Africa, Russia, Canada and the United States. People's Republic of China, Brazil, Australia, Colombia, Philippines and Papua New Guinea. Current projections indicate that the U.S. will like the lead in 1986, followed by Canada and Australia.

TNA MEDAL FEATURES HISTORIC CITY-RIVER



San Antonio is one of America's four unique cities, and you'll agree as you stroll along the banks of the colorful, winding San Antonio River while attending the TNA convention March 27, 28, 29.

The 1987 TNA medal, designed by Frank Galindo, District 7 governor, pictures the winding, historical San Antonio River which some call the heart and soul of the city. Also known as the Paseo del Rio, it has been a focal point of the city's growth. It played a major role in the development of early San Antonio: powered waterworks and mills, provided drinking water, supplied water for irrigation and met other daily needs of the growing community. The river was enjoyed as recreation spots where citizens picnicked, swam, rowed boats and walked along its banks.

Today it continues to serve the city as a major tourist attraction, as it winds its way through the city. Paseo del Rio provides approximately 21 blocks of cobble stone walkways, sidewalk restaurants, night clubs, hotels, and arts, crafts and antique shops follow the meandering river.

The King's River Parade annually heads down the river during Fiesta Week celebration. The river provides the setting for the Arneson River Theatre, an outdoor theatre where the river separates the audience from the stage, and where performances are held by local singers, mariachis,

country western music, flamenco dancers and other talents.

The cobble stone bridge, connecting the Arneson theatre and the stage, is named "Rosita Bridge" and that bridge is featured on the medal. It was dedicated to Rosita Fernandez who has represented San Antonio as a singer, composer and Ambassador of Goodwill for many years. The medal also shows part of San Antonio's distinctive and impressive skyline.

TNA medal sets contain a silver and a verbronz encased in an attractive engraved holder. The .999 silver medal is 10 gauge, 39mm in diameter and serially numbered with reeded edge. Only 176 silver medals were struck and 1,000 bronze. Each set is \$30 plus \$2 postage and handling.

Galindo, newly appointed TNA medals officer, also announced that there are less than 20 of a limited issue of 250 silver Alamo Sesquicentennial medals available. If you have not purchased yours, do so today. The Alamo medal is also available in verbronz at \$2.95 each plus 60¢ postage and handling. The Alamo Sesquicentennial medals were issued by TNA honoring Texas' 150th birthday. Early issues of TNA medals are also available.

For placing orders and more information contact Frank Galindo, P.O. Box 12217, San Antonio 78212. Please enclose a SASE.

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junior readin' roundup

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Robert Lacewell — Youth Chairman

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“ANA Matters”

At the American Numismatic Association Board of Governors meeting Dec. 6-7 in Colorado Springs, Colo., a proposal for a quarterly publication to be titled “First Strike” for Young Numismatists was approved. Recently the ANA also started a YN column in their monthly publication **THE NUMISMATIST**, and encouraged young writers to submit articles for possible publication. The ANA is taking steps to encourage YN’s to become active in the hobby, and your membership in the ANA as a junior member (11-17 years old) should be your first step as a collector.

The ANA was founded in 1891 as a non-profit educational association dedicated to the advancement and promotion of the study of coins, medals, paper money, tokens and related numismatic items as a means of recording world history, art, economic development and social changes.

The ANA offers a wide variety of membership advantages including the following: the official monthly publication **THE NUMISMATIST**,

free booklets, a library which maintains the largest circulating numismatic library in the world, a museum, seminars, conventions, copying service, reprints, audio-visual educational programs, grading service, YN program, Roman Coin Project, complaints procedure, insurance, and a reward program.

All of these benefits and more can be yours if you join as a junior member at only \$11 per year in dues. Write to the ANA today for an application and enjoy the advantages of membership in the “numismatic community.” The ANA can be contacted at P.O. Box 2366, Colorado Springs, CO 80901.

MOVING?

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1986 is all over except for the crying and many of us can do much of that with no effect on the new year. A heartening thought is that in about 60 days we can be deeply immersed in income tax.

Some issues ago I asked for letters from the membership at large to supply names of TNA members and others who can be recommended to the ANA Hall of Fame. While I cannot say that the post office had to use box stretchers for all the mail, I did receive one letter from a TNA member who lives in Louisiana with a name for ANA. This letter has been forwarded to the president for further action.

We need many of the TNA members to put up an exhibit at TNA in San Antonio. Exhibits are the best avenue to education in numismatics. Also, exhibits are eye-catching ways to tell a story of a person, place or thing. They convey, many times, a story behind the story and bring out little known facts; for example, the Russian beard tokens. Why did Russia strike a token with nothing but a beard on it?

Hopefully, 1987 will be much better to us than was 1986. After talking with one of our governors, I am impressed with some of the ideas which he presented to me. These will be presented at San Antonio.

MINI NEWS/PROGRAM

The Mini News, highlighting historical events of the Texas Numismatic Association, and the convention schedule will be combined as one publication for the TNA convention in San Antonio March 27, 28, 29.

To help defray the cost of the publication, we need everyone's support — clubs, members, dealers and friends of TNA to support the project.

Those wishing to contribute should contact Miriam Gilmore, 1987 TNA convention schedule chairman, 315 Vance Jackson C26, San Antonio 78201.

Rates are: 1 page — \$100.00, 1/2 page — \$50.00, 1/4 page — \$25.00, 1/8 page — \$12.50, and one line name and address — \$2.50.

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HAITI: 1977, Begin Sadat: 1 Gold (KM 132, 100G.) + case \$215.
IRAN: 1971 4 Gold (500 R., 1,000 R., 2,000 R.) 5 Silver (25 R., 50 R., 75 R., 100 R., 200 R.)
+ case \$1,159.
LESOTHO: 1976: 1 Gold (Queen, 50 M.) 1 Silver (Girl, 10M)
+ case \$165.
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES: 1976:
Andrew Doria: 1 Gold (200 G) & 1 Silver (25 G.) + case \$265.

GOLD PROOF COINS

ALBANIA, 1970: Sword & Helmet \$105.
BAHAMAS, 1973: Crayfish, \$50.
\$110. 1975, Gold Proof Set: 4 Gold (\$50., \$100., \$150., \$200.)
+ case \$920.
CAYMAN ISLANDS: 1972, Silver Wedding Annv., \$25.,
Y 9A \$125.
CHILI, 1968: O'Higgins,
50 P. \$175.
CHINA, 1980: Olympics, 250 Y. \$135.
1980, Ancient Archery,
300 Y. \$195.
COSTA RICA, 1970: Human Rights (50 Colones, Y6) \$155.
GUINEA, 1977, Mao Tse Tung (2,000 S, KM 48) Only
125..... \$195.
HAITI, 1970: Voodoo Dancer, 50G \$185. 1975, Holy Year,
200 G. \$95.
INDONESIA, 1970: Dancer,
(10,000 R., KM 9) \$425.
JORDAN, 1977: Hussein, 25D. \$210.
LEBANON, 1980: Olympics,
400L \$330.
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES, 1980:
(Queen, Y31, 10 Gulden) .. \$140.
POLAND, 1980: (Proba) Olympics
2,000 Zlotych (Scarce) \$520.
S. AFRICA, 1960: Queen, ½ P. \$85.

TURKEY, 1973, Ataturk, 50 P. \$85.
1973, Ataturk, 100 P. \$165.
1975, Mother & Child,
500 L. \$230.
1978, Bride, 1,000 L.,
Y184 \$525.
USA, 1986, Eagle, \$50. \$600.

SILVER PROOF SETS

AFGHANISTAN, 1976, (2) Leopard, 250 A. & Crane, 500 A.
+ case \$317.
ALBANIA, 1970 (3): Y 96, 5 L., y 97,
10 L., Y153 L.) + case \$195.
ARGENTINA, 1978: World Cup (3)
(1,000 P, 2,000 P. & 3,000 P)
+ case \$100.
BULGARIA, 1963-1973 (8) (2-2 Leva,
Y 60 & Y 64) & 65 Leva (Y 61, Y 73,
Y 74, Y 76 & Y 77) + case .. \$115.
CHILI, 1968: (3) Pratt, KM 7 & Navy,
KM 8) + case \$116.
CHINA, 1980: Ancient Sports: (3)
Y18-Y20) + case \$90.
CHINA, 1980: (4) Same + Ice Skater,
Y21) + case \$125.
DOMINICA, 1978 (2): Carnival, Y 5,
410, + Zepplin, Y 6, \$20.
+ case \$110.
EGYPT, 1979-1980 (10 1 Pound):
(Y193, Y196, Y198, Y199, Y202,
Y209, Y211, Y214, Y218,
Y224) \$385.
EQ. GUINEA, 1970 (15) KM
5-KM 19) + case \$395.
FUJAIRAH, 1970 (9) KM 1-5,
KM 19-Y22) + case \$395.
GUINEA, 1970 (10) KM 9-16, KM 21,
KM 29) + case \$200.
GUINEA, 1977 (2) Makeba, KM 44
500 S. & Lumumba, KM 45, 500 S)
+ case (Only 225 Sets) ... \$200.
HAITI, 1970-1971 (5) KM 64, KM 65,
KM 67, KM 68, KM 78
+ case \$380.
INDONESIA, 1970 (5)
(KM 1 - KM 5) \$160.
IRAN, 1971: (5) (KM 2, 25R, KM 3,
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KM 6, 200 R. (Shah)
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WELCOME to new members 4931-4934. If approved the following will become members Mar. 1, 1987.

4935 (D-7) Michael de la Torre, 4707 Stoney Climb, San Antonio, TX. 78217. German & German States. M. Greenspan.

4936 (D-7) Patrick H. Zabel, Rt. 1, Box 397D, Devine, TX. 78016. Coins Thru The Ages. M. Greenspan.

4937 (D-5) Britton L. Hall, 9907 Homeplace, Dallas, TX. 75217. Paul Garner.

4938 (D-7) Larry R. Baumgardner, 15851 Eagle Cliff, San Antonio, TX. 78232. U.S. Type Coins. M. Greenspan & R. M. Lacewell.

4939 (D-4) Miss Mary E. Fannin, P.O. Box 26625, Austin, TX. 78755. Casey Noxon.

LIFE MEMBERSHIP (pending)

3782 (D-6) Lewis Milton Dove Jr. — Texas

2137 (D-3) Mike Dungan — Texas

4300 Anthony Swiatek — New York

DECEASED

2575 James L. Turner — Texas

21 Claude E. Ressler — Texas

574 Dan B. Runner Jr. — Texas

4190 C. W. Krugjohann — Texas

CECIL W. MORRIS

Friends of Cecil W. Morris were saddened to learn of the death of Cecil W. Morris on November 7, 1986.

Mr. Morris, 54, lived in Midwest City, Okla. and was a wellknown dealer in foreign coins, operating under the name of Wilbert's World Coins.

He was active in the Oklahoma City Coin Club, Numismatics International, Texas Numismatic Association and was a director of the Oklahoma Numismatic Association. He attended many Texas coin shows.

Expressions of sympathy can be sent to the family at Box 10985, Midwest City, OK 73110.

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ENTERTAINMENT PLANNED FOR CONVENTION GUESTS

Activities planned for guests attending the Texas Numismatic Association convention in San Antonio March 27, 28, 29 includes a guided tour of the San Antonio Branch of the Federal Reserve Bank. The FRB tour is scheduled for 1:30 p.m. on Friday, March 27.

Following, at 3 p.m., is a walking tour of the beautiful River Walk and downtown San Antonio.

On Saturday morning at 10:30, a Walker's Choice is planned. Selections include the Alamo Shrine, Texan Cultural Institute and the Hertzberg Circus Museum. The museum houses the largest circus collection in the world. On display is Tom Thumb's built-to-size coach and his wedding and reception memorabilia. The Alamo Shrine and Texas Institute concentrates on Texas history.

Highlighting events is "Fiesta Night" celebrating the 25th anniversary of Gateway Coin Club. All TNA members and their guests are invited to the party at El Tropicano Hotel on Saturday evening, March 28, at 8 o'clock. Gateway club members invite you to join in the fun (there'll be entertainment!) but we need to know if you will attend before arrangements can be completed.

Those wanting to take any of the tours or attend "Fiesta Night" must advise Miriam Gilmore, 315 Vance Jackson C26, San Antonio 78201, as soon as possible. Plans can be completed when we receive sufficient response. For the FRB tour, neces-

sary transportation must be arranged.

Choices are:

1. Federal Reserve Bank Tour
2. River Walk
3. Alamo Shrine
4. Texan Cultural Institute
5. Hertzberg Circus Museum
6. Gateway Coin Club "Fiesta Night"

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Balance on hand as of Nov. 30, 1986	2,607.89
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TNA NEWS Ads	250.00	
TNA Dues	3,735.00	
Interest - Checking Account	17.57	
Rental on Cases 80 @ 5.00	100.00	
Medal Sales	314.00	4,746.57
		7,354.46

DISBURSEMENTS:

TNA Secretary — Nov. Allowance Petty Cash	265.01	
TNA NEWS Editor — Dec. Allowance Petty Cash	254.61	
River Oaks Printing	1,479.50	
Eleanor Kennady (Stamps)	362.19	
Frank Galindo (Supplies)	34.67	
Case Storage & Handling	648.46	3,044.44
		4,310.02

Balance on hand as of Dec. 31, 1986	4,310.02*
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NOTE: The following funds cannot be used for anything except the purpose for which they are encumbered. The balance above includes these funds except as noted below as of Dec. 31, 1986.

TNA Flower Fund	169.51*	
TNA Memorial Library Fund	100.93*	
TNA NEWS Certificate of Deposit	6,788.16	
Certificate of Deposit	2,848.99	
Life Membership Savings Account	7,099.50	16,736.65

TOTAL ASSETS	21,016.67
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MEMBER CLASSIFIED ADS

Here is the second group of member ads as approved on a trial basis by the TNA Board. Remember, 25-word limit, \$1.00 per ad, deadline: February 1 for the March issue. Send them to Mike Greenspan, P.O. Box 690041, San Antonio, TX 78259-0041.

COLLECTOR buying your Texas tokens particularly San Antonio. Describe and price or ship. Member: ANA, TAMS, etc. Leo J. Warren, Box 30101, San Antonio, TX 78285.

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FEBRUARY 21-22

MID-SEASON COIN & STAMP SHOW, 5th annual, Green Oaks Inn, 6901 West Freeway E-30. **CONTACT:** Joe Wade, 6420 Diamond Loch, Fort Worth 76180, 817 485-1777.

MARCH 6-8

INTERNATIONAL COIN CLUB, El Paso, annual show, Rodeway Inn, I-10 & Geronimo. **WRITE:** Club, Box 3535, El Paso 79923.

MARCH 8

DALLAS COIN DEALERS ASSOC., coin show, Holiday Inn, Regal Row & Stemmons. **BOURSE:** Jess Farnsworth, 130 W. Camp Wisdom, Duncanville 75116, 214 296-6659.

MARCH 15

DALWORTH COIN & STAMP CLUB, show, Rodeway Inn at Six Flags, Arlington. **CONTACT:** Joe Wade, 6420 Diamond Loch, Ft. Worth 76180, 817 485-1777

MARCH 20-22

INTERCONTINENTAL COIN SHOW, Airport Hilton Inn, 500 North Belt East, Houston. **CONTACT:** Milton Dove, Box 92146, Houston 77206

MARCH 21-22

SOUTH PLAINS COIN CLUB, annual show, Lubbock Civic Center

MARCH 27-29

TEXAS NUMISMATIC ASSN., 29th convention, **HOST:** Gateway Coin Club, Convention Center, downtown San Antonio. **BOURSE:** Michael Greenspan, Box 690041, San Antonio 78269-0041.

APRIL 11-12

CORPUS CHRISTI COIN CLUB, coin show.

APRIL 25-26

WACO COIN CLUB, annual show, Waco Convention Center. **BOURSE:** Robert Scheutze, Box 8773, Waco 76714-8773.

JUNE 20-21

LOUISIANA NUMISMATIC ASSN., coin show, Hotel Acadiana, 1801 Pinhook Rd., Lafayette, La. Hosted by **LAFAYETTE COIN CLUB**. **BOURSE:** Mike Mouret, 1321 S. Edith St., Opelousas, La 70570.

SEPTEMBER 12-13

ROSE CITY COIN CLUB, annual show, Harvey Hall

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AN INVITATION TO EXHIBIT

Members of the Texas Numismatic Association planning to exhibit at the March 27, 28, 29 TNA convention in San Antonio have 11 categories in which to enter, according to Cliff Valley, exhibit chairman.

First, second and third place awards are offered plus four specials: United States coins, U.S. paper money, U.S. obsolete paper money, foreign coins after 1500 A.D., coins prior to 1500 A.D., foreign paper money, medals, tokens, specialized, junior and non-competitive. Special awards are best in show; the Joe B. Davis award for the best in coins of Mexico, excluding medals, tokens and paper money; the Robert E. Medlar award for the best in U.S. paper money; and the Richard H. Schweers award for the best in coins before

1500 A.D. The last award is provided by Greater Houston Coin Club.

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District Meetings

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DISTRICT I —

Forty members and guests of **Stephenville Coin Club** attended the Christmas banquet held at the Golden Corral.

Mario Johnson displayed proof sets from 1936 to 1986, one for each year since his birth. A Silver Dollar auction was held. — **Lorene Randals, Sec.**

Members of the **Fort Worth Coin Club** were entertained at a Christmas party held at Diamond Oaks Country Club with 80 members and guests present.

Special awards were given to the outgoing officers and Mr. and Mrs. Hagood were recognized as outstanding members of the year. Also, receiving special awards were Linda Wade and Larry Haegle — **Newsletter.**

The **Dalworth Coin & Stamp Club** is hosting a coin and stamp show on March 15 at Rodeway Inn,



Morris Johnson
Governor

Six Flags, Arlington. For more information contact Joe Wade, 6420 Diamond Loch, Fort Worth 76180.

DISTRICT III —

Key City Coin Club of Abilene hosted the annual coin show on January 17. Dick Dollen was show chairman.

The December club meeting was reserved for the annual Christmas dinner. — **Marylou Meggenson, Sec.**



Dick Dollen
Governor

DISTRICT IV —

Austin Texas Coin Club elected officers at the annual holiday meeting held at Wyatt's Cafeteria, Hancock Center. Thirty four attended.

Officers are Kermit Nygard, president; Robert E. Greenwood, vice president; Lyman C. Bartee, secretary-treasurer; Moton Crockett III, curator; and Fred Barkley and Stanley Mervin, board members. Ray F. Kirkpatrick is immediate past president — **Robert E. Greenwood, Gov. Dist. 4.**

DISTRICT V —

New officers serving **Dallas Coin Club** include Ernie Hackney, president; Joe Barthold, vice president; Tom Ragsdale, secretary treasurer

The annual holiday party was planned for December at Colony Parke Hotel and guest speaker was Miley Busiek. Eddie Boone assisted with decorations — **Tom Ragsdale, Sec.**



Paul Garner
Governor

DISTRICT VI —

The annual Christmas party for members and guests of **Greater Houston Coin Club** was held in the club's new meeting location at St. Andrew Lutheran Church, 1353 Witte Rd. Nela Runkle and Chris Johns were co-hostesses



Chris Johns
Governor

Alvin Stern gave a talk on Coins of the Colonies with appropriate specimens to illustrate the subject. Four prize winners were Henrietta Aldrete and Mike Musachia. Carl Fogarty conducted the auction.

New members welcomed into the club were Paul and Gloria Garner, Ernest Gallant and Pat Kainer. New applicants are Jack Daniel and Frank Cook. — **DoubleShift.**

Bellaire Coin Club members are meeting in a new location — the Bellaire Public Library, 5111 Jessamine, 2nd floor.

Members are urged to attend the meetings and acquaint themselves with the new surroundings. — **Newsletter.**

DISTRICT VII —

1987 marks the 27th anniversary of **Alamo Coin Club** of San Antonio. Meetings are held the 2nd and 4th Thursdays at Grady's Barbeque, 1109 Fredericksburg Rd.



Frank Galindo
Governor

Programs in January included "Coins and Medals of the Renaissance" a slide program by Harold Eiserloh, and "The Fifth Caesar — Claudius I" by Lee Grossman.

A special guest at the holiday party was Scott McElvain, U.S. Air Force, stationed at Colorado Springs, Colo. Scott was a junior club member some 20 years ago. — **Club Bulletin.**

DISTRICT IX —

Carl Robertson was honored at the **South Plains Coin Club** Christmas party as club member of the year. The party was held at the 3-Yard Line Restaurant in Lubbock with 63 members



E. L. Pitzer
Governor

and guests attending.

E. L. Pitzer, TNA governor, awarded TNA Certificates of Achievement to those who had given programs during 1986.

Jim Hall and D. O. Joplin conducted a benefit auction with proceeds donated to "Meals on Wheels." — E. L. Pitzer, Gov. Dist. 9

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DISTRICT XI —

The Charity Auction conducted by **Golden Spread Coin Club, Inc.** of Amarillo realized \$350.00. Dave Clugy was auctioneer. Forty attended the Christmas party and a great time was had by all.

New officers were announced for 1987: Gordon Boyle, president; Curtis Maple, 1st vice president; Darrell Tipton, 2nd vice president; Pam Tipton, secretary; Linda Caylor, treasurer; and members at large, Jim Jordan, Tommy Williams and Chuck Boyd. Roy Wilson is the TNA representative. — **Club Bulletin.**

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DISTRICT XIII —

An informal holiday-time social meeting was enjoyed by members of **Seymour Coin Club** in December when Gene Wheeler conducted a round-table discussion on what each member benefited from the



Raymond E. Whyborn
Governor

club and numismatics in 1986. Members cited the good educational programs, what each had learned and the enjoyment of fellowship.

The club meets in the Blue Flame Room of Lone Star Gas Co. in Seymour. — **Raymond E. Whyborn, Gov. Dist. 13.**

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Raymond E. Whyborn was nominated by **Greenbelt Coin Club** of Vernon to serve another term as TNA District 13 governor at the December meeting conducted by Ray Coleman in the absence of the president.

It was reported that Worth Coffee was ill in the hospital and members sent best wishes.

Emmett "Robbie" Robinson and Bill Howard conducted the auction of U.S. and world coins, proof sets, stock certificates, stamps and bullion coins. — **Raymond E. Whyborn, Gov. Dist. 13.**

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Members of **Wichita Falls Coin & Stamp Club** joined members of **Red River Coin Club** of Iowa Park for the annual Christmas dinner meeting at Wichita Falls Hilton Inn.

Forty two members and guests enjoyed a buffet dinner and gift exchange. Gary Cook, Red River club president, was Master of Ceremonies. — **Raymond E. Whyborn, Gov. Dist. 13.**

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DISTRICT XV —

The annual Christmas party — a "Dutch Treat" dinner — for members of **Beaumont Coin Club** was held at J & J Steak House and nominees for 1987 club officers were announced.



Dewey L. Scott
Governor

At the previous meeting the annual auction was held with guests from Greater Port Arthur, Greater Orange and Silsbee clubs joining in. Bill Stein was auction coordinator and Jerry Williams served as Auctioneer. — **Kaye Brown, Sec.**

The election of officers dominated the meeting of **Greater Port Arthur Coin Club** and include Joe Scott, president; Jim Eldridge, vice president; Bill Stein, treasurer; and J. Rodriguez, secretary.

The recipient of the T. G. Brown award, given in recognition of outstanding club service, was Sid King. Door prizes and an auction followed the business session. — **Club Bulletin.**

DISTRICT XVII —

New officers serving **Waco Coin Club** are Joe Olson, president, Aubrey Carpenter, 1st vice president, Lee Hise, 2nd vice president; Thornton Priest, secretary; Warren Hall, treasurer; J. P. Jones, program chairman TNA reporter; and George Kubal, membership chairman. Also

on tap were plans for a chili supper and issuing wooden money to celebrate the club's 40th anniversary. The club was originally named Waco Heart O'Texas Coin Club, founded in 1947 and is the second oldest club in Texas.

Future programs announced included a quiz by Dalton Adams and a discussion on the Roosevelt dime by Robert Schuetze.

Following the meeting, members enjoyed a wide selection of holiday goodies. — **J. P. Jones, TNA Reporter.**

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SEPTEMBER 19-20

ALAMOCOIN CLUB, coin show, Sheraton Inn, 1400 Austin Hwy., San Antonio, **BOURSE:** Richard Pinette, Box 32441, San Antonio 78216 (512 674-4949).

NOVEMBER 6-7

AUSTIN COIN CLUB, annual show, Quality Inn South, **WRITE:** Club, Box 1225, Austin 78767.

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(Reprinted from Bellaire Coin Club Bulletin and written by the late Dick Schweers, September 1976.)

SPAHICH DESIGNATED APPRAISER

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The MRA designation was conferred on Spahich after he completed the educational requirements, passed written examinations, and met established criteria for qualifications. Requirements also included preparation of actual demonstration

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A well-known Panhandle and West Texas area journalist, Spahich serves as editor of *The Trumpeter*, quarterly journal of the Croatian Philatelic & Numismatic Society. He operates a part-time coin and stamp dealership, Balkan Coins & Stamps.

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| 15. Same, #10, \$2 | \$ 75. |
| 16. Washington County Scrip, Brenham #5, \$3 | \$ 75. |
| 17. Austin County Scrip, Bellville #1, 50¢ | \$ 75. |
| 18. Same, #2, \$1 | \$ 90. |

If you have any County or private issue notes to trade or sell, please contact me. I always want to add to my collection.

Also have a lot of fiscally related documents, will try to list some of them next time. If you have special wants, let me know.

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